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THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1886.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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### FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce HON. GARRETT S. WALL, of Mason county, as a candidate for Congress in this the fifth Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce HON. S. SAVAGE, of Boyd county, as a candidate for Congress in this the ninth Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce JOHN THOMPSON a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

### FOR COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN HAYS as a candidate for one of the three offices of County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce A. J. GARRED, a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce A. J. CONLEY as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Lawrence Co., subject to the wishes of the voters of the county.

### FOR COUNTY CLERK.

G. F. JOHNSON is a candidate for County Clerk-Clerk, subject to the wishes of the Democrats of the County.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. JONES, a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Office of County Attorney of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention.

W. W. MARCELL.

### SUPERINTENDENT SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce H. T. LITTLETON, a candidate for Superintendent of Schools, of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. HIBBARD a candidate before the Board of Commissioners for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Lawrence County.

### FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM BOWE, a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce JAMES ADAMS, a candidate for the office of Assessor of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Millard F. Carter as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention.

### FOR POLICE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce HENRY WISE FERGUSON a candidate for Police Judge of Louisa.

Attorney General Garland is con- sidering this bed.

Secretary of the Treasury. M. n- ing is dangerously ill. The lat- est report, that he is slightly improved.

We have it from good authority that the Big Sandy river improve- ment appropriation is "all right."

The great railroad strike is virtu- ally at an end, and to-day, after a complete stagnation of commerce in a vast section for more than three weeks, the wheels will once more move on the Gould system. At conference yesterday between Mr. Gould and Messrs. Powderly and McDowell, of the Knights' Execu- tive Committee, an agreement was reached by which the grievances of the employees are to be submitted to arbitration. Mr. Gould telegraphed this to Vice President Hoyle, and Mr. Powderly issued a circular to the Knights, ordering them back to work.—Courier-Journal.

The Congressional race is about to become quite warm. We learn that Mason and Lewis counties are decidedly in favor of Judge Wall, and that Fleming will be for him in the event she has no local candidate. The Judge has been a faithful and true Democrat, and has always worked for Bracken candidates when she had any. For these rea- sons, Judge Wall claims that our county should aid him, and he pro- poses to take a thorough canvass of the county. We know he has many warm friends, and trust and believe he will be cordially received.—Bracken Democrat.

### Huntington's River Road.

Mr. C. P. Huntington, in a letter to the Maysville Committee, sub- mits his ultimatum in regard to his projected river road. His company will give \$75,000 towards the right-of-way. The counties through which the road will run must raise the remainder for the right of way, and give Mr. Huntington assurance of the fact by the first of April. If they fail the road will not be built on the south shore of the Ohio.

The amount required of the coun- ties to secure the right of way is es- timated at \$75,000. There are sev- eral counties interested; but two of them, Boyd and Pendleton, have only a slight interest, and not much is expected of them. The remain- ing counties are Greenup, Lewis, Mason, Bracken, and Campbell. It is thought the amount required will be raised within the time specified.—Commonwealth.

### ENGLEWOOD, CLARK CO., KAN.

March 22nd, 1886.  
Editors Big Sandy News: As I land- ed safely in Englewood, Kansas, I will give you a few items from here for your paper and for the benefit of my old friends in that country.

I can say that this country is fine as far as I have seen. The land is level and rich, and only began to be settled last spring; so the crops were not very large last year, but the prospects for this year are fine.

On the 15th of March, 1885, the first timber was brought to this place to build Englewood, and now it is a nice little town, with a good country around it. The only objections to this country is the scarcity of timber. The people here get most of their timber down in Indian Territory and in the "Neutral Strip," as it is called, and from four to six feet deep. Any one can get a homestead by coming to it, and it will pay any one to get this land while it is so cheap. I know of men in your country who have got little hill- side farms, which it would pay them to sell for only money enough to pay their way out here and get a homestead; and they would make big money.

It is true it might be a little hard living the first year unless a person has means to go on; but it would be better to stand it for a short time than always. This Strip joins the Indian Territory, and nearly all of you have heard what fine and it is; so you may guess what the strip is.

Englewood is 5 miles south of Dodge City and three miles east of the Neutral Strip. It is settling fast—people are com- ing in gangs all the time; but it will take some time to settle it. It is one hundred and eight miles long and thirty six miles wide.

It will make three counties. The man who gets here first will be all right.

I will not say too much about this coun- try at this time; for my part I am well pleased with it. I will not write any more at this time; but as I learn more I will let you know.

The most of the people in this country live in sod houses. Yours Truly,  
A. P. FERGUSON.

### Army Architecture Out West.

(Part Nineteen, Letter I.)

Army architecture is, as a rule, the meanest in the world, and when I think of the places and houses we have had to live in out west it makes me sick. Low ceilings, little cramped-up rooms, bad ventilation, small barracks were the men were crowded together like a herd of sheep—this was the rule in army build- ing, and the exceptions were few and far between.

There is nothing of the kind there. The barracks are large, and every man has room to move about, the ceilings are high and the ventilation perfect. In the officers' houses the rooms are large, the ceilings high, and the buildings all well ventilated. There is no cheap paper on the walls to hide the cracks and dirt, but the walls are painted and the rooms solid and clean. The houses have the appear- ance, inside at least, of city residences, and the evidence of comfort and conven- ience appears the moment one opens the wide door.

### Logic of the Stock Exchange.

(Chicago Herald.)

Stock exchange logic is very peculiar. "Conversions" are the exchange of bonds for equivalent shares of stock, such bonds being "convertibles." "Collaterals" are securities of any kind pledged for bor- rowed money. "Pledging" them is termed "hypothecation." A "good delivery" is of certificates of stocks or bonds legally issued. "Differences" are money bal- ances paid where stock is not transferred, which seldom happens. To "lend" "water" means without interest. To "water" stock is to increase its quantity and im- pair its quality. To "pass a dividend" is not to pay it.

### Variable Stars.

(Arkansas Traveler.)

The brightness of some stars varies periodically, more than a hundred so-called variable stars being known, while many more are "suspected" variables. The periods range from a few days to many years. The variation is usually slight, but is very marked in the cases of Algol and Mira, the former star alternating from the sec- ond to the fourth magnitude in a little less than three days, while the latter is a still more remarkable variable, being vi- sible most of the time and blinding up to second magnitude brilliancy at intervals of eleven months. The most interesting of stars of this class is our own sun, whose brightness is affected by the lu- minous spots which appear on its surface and sometimes cover millions of square miles, and whose period of variability is eleven years.

### Death in the Fortieth of a Second.

(Not of F. g. r. res.)

A learned writer in one of the scientific magazines claims that death by hanging is the most humane method of putting criminals out of the world that has yet been discovered. From numerous ob- servations of executions, and careful com- putations of time required for the con- viction to carry the feeling to the brain, he thinks the pain occasioned by the fall is very brief, and places the time which a man is conscious of his own feelings, after bringing up at the end of the rope, at .025 of a second. In other words, a man who is hanged has his senses just one fortieth of a second after the lips are lost.

### NOTICE.

The Democracy of Lawrence county are requested to meet in the next Con- vention at their respective voting places, at one o'clock p. m., on Saturday, April 10th, 1886, and appoint delegates to re- present their respective voting precincts in the County Convention, which will be held at the Court House in the town of Louisa, Ky., on Monday the 19th day of April, 1886, for the purpose of nominat- ing candidates to fill the various county offices to be elected at the August Elec- tion, 1886.

The following is the number of votes each precinct will be entitled to cast in the County Convention: East Fork, 3 votes; Dry Fork, 7 votes; Falls Blaine, 5 votes; Head's Fork, 3 votes; Peach Orchard, 0 votes; Little Blaine, 1 vote; Rock Castle, 1 vote; Lyon, 3 votes; Lou- isa, 12 votes; Georges Creek, 5 votes; Chero- kee, 2 votes; Bear Creek, 4 votes; Two Branch, 3 votes. Total, 56 votes.

A full attendance at the precinct meetings and County Convention is earnestly re- quested. By order of the Committee.

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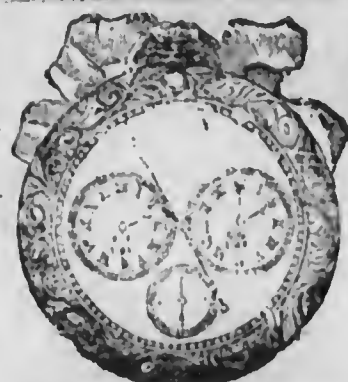
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